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## Small Locals of Considerable Moment

Lankman's for drugs. Popeorn at Klein's Sweet potatoes at Kiein's. Gold Medal flour a Klein's. Northern seed outs at Klein's. Get your Valentines at Pelty's. Union-made shoes at Herzog's.

Valentines from \$1.00 up to \$1.00 Ed Belkin of Libertyville was in

town Wednesday.

Miss Alice Cayee is in St. Louis visiting relatives. Miss Kate Braham is visiting friends

in Sie Genevieve. Mr. J. W. Moore of Jaydee had

business in Farmington, You will always find a full line of the

best make of Shoes at Herzog's. Clarence Kerlagon and Frank Zim-

mer were in Bonne Terre Tuesday.

Mrs. Janie Taylor of Columbia is visiting her cousin, Mrs. George J.

Miss Mary Asbury has returned to Columbia, Mo., to resume her school

Miss Lizzie Gregory of Fredericktown is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S.

Don't fail to attend the concert at the Opera House Friday night, February 2d.

Sam'l J. Tetley is off on an Eastern other points.

latest novelties that have come out this year at Pelty's.

tertained a number of their friends member of the Cumberland Presbywith a musical tast Friday evening.

wife of Superintendent Fitzgerald of her neighbors and all who knew her. the Federal Lead Company, a daugh- The funeral took place from the De-

Miss Effic McCormick of Monroe, La., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. T. Nixon, and other relatives to Farmington

Mr. Theodore Sloan of Irondale and Mrs. Clarence Sloan and little daughter visited Mrs. J. C. McCormick for a couple of days

next Friday night, February 2d, will route is as follows. be a musical treat worth hearing. Don't miss it.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the church on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock,

Mr. J. W. Woodside, one of Bonneterre's best citizens and an old friend per 3 2 miles; south to Evans 3 miles; traits of character can not atone for diversion of mitth, music, monologue been on its subscription books for miles; southeast past power house I holding up a mon, depriving him of notice appearance in his native thirty years or more, was in town on mile; southeast to town limits 1'4 all he has and presenting him with a city, Richmond, Va , when six years business last Friday.

Mrs. Violetta Elliott of Brushear, mile. Mo., mother of Dr. W. E. Elliott of this place, died the early part of last square miles 22; number of houses tor has the sympathy of many friends \$702 per annum. in his bereavement.

Arrangement has been made with the St. Francois County Radway Co. for a special electric car for those from Flat River wishing to attend the J. B. Graves Military Band Concert at the the Largest, Best and Cheap-Opera House in Farmington on Friday night, February 2d.

Mr. J. P. Kearns of near Esther was in town Monday and took advan-, tage of our unprecedented offer of THE TIMES, The Farmer and Stockman, The Farm Gazette and the Of the J. B. Graves' Military Band Homemaker for a year for only \$1 25. No farmer in the county can afford to miss this offer.

Miss Edna Shultz of Caruthersville, daughter of H. C. Shultz, former president of the board of managers of State Hospital No. 4, is visiting Fantasie-Witch Dance .... Miss Gladys Gray. Wednesday they Trombone Solo-Honeysuckle.... Cox offer to Bacchus as a sacrifice the accompanied Milton Spaugh and Emmett Asbury to Arcadia Valley on a visit to Miss Glenda Gray.

USE Chase & Sanborn's COFFEE for sale by KLEIN CRO. CO.

### Odd Fellows Installation.

At the meeting of St. Francois Lodge No. 48 I O O F. last Saturday night the following officers were installed for the current term ending June 30th: Ed. McClintock, N. G. Clarence A. Tetley, V. G : T. D Fisher, R. S.: George A. Tetley, F S.: J. W. Braham, Tr.: P. G Rickus, C : Merrill Pipkin, W .: J H. White, I. G.; A. J. Matthews, R. S. N. G.; J. P. Zolman, L. S. N. G.; J. W. Hopkins, R. S. S., and H. B. Ledbetter, L. S. S.

### Farmington Toll Station.

The Toll Station formerly at the St. Francois Hotel has been removed to Pelty's News Stand. The rate to Flat River, Elvins, Desloge, Bonne terre, Doe Run, Leadwood (Owl Creek), Daytown and Avon is 10 cents for each message of three minutes or less. Farmington mes-Don't wait till the best ones are sages five cents each message of three gone. Buy your Valentines at l'elty's. minutes or less. Long distance messages at regular Beil Telephone Company's rates.

THE FARMINGTON TELEPHONE CO.

### Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Overall.

Mrs. Elizabeth Overall died at her days. Mrs. Overall, whose maiden name was White, was born in Tennessee August 22, 1835. She was married in 1855 to William P. Overall, and they removed to Missouri in 1858, lo- Barnes spoke on "Rum, Rum and the cating in this county. Mr. Overall Remedy. He said in part-died in 1882. There were born to The figure traffic is a br. A and Alonzo Overall of DeLassus, good thing can be said. It robs a to buy It's a bargain Miss Laura Overall of Flat River, Mrs. man of his honor and of his money, vade it if too much hand. G. P. Ware and W. F. Overall of It dulls and deadens his conscience. D. L. Deleasty, Farmington, Mo. Miss May Harian and her pupils en- Farmington. Mis. Overall was a Born, January 24, 1966, to the tian life and enjoyed the good will of Lassus Church Monday afternoon, Rev. W. R. McCormack conducting the service, thence to the E. of P. cemetery south of Farmington.

## New Rural Route.

Postmaster Doughty received notice from the Post Office Department last week that a new rural delivery route from Farmington, to be known as No. The concert by the J. B. Graves 4, had been established, to go into ef-Military Band at the Opera House teet March 1st. The course of the

> Beginning at the Post Office at Farmington, the carrier, will go thence west to town limits 3 of a mile; north bearing west to Swink corner 14 miles, west '4 mile, north and west to inflicts poverty upon many a worthy

Length of route 23% miles; area of

of Tooth Brushes just received. Why not call and see taken as "a matter of course. est line in town?

## PROGRAM.

Concert, Opera House at Farmington, Friday, February 2:

PART I March—Chicago Tribune.....Chambers Overture-Superba......Dalbey Cornet Solo—Ida (Air Varie), ..., Brickey Mr- E. Barrow.

Mr. Lyman Barrow.

Serenade-La Serenade.....Schubert PARTII Potpourri-Religioso. . . .

Clarinet Solo—Second, Air Varie. Mohr it has patronage and protection for a Mr. Donald Graham.

Waltzes-Garden of Roses.....Brooks

the three churches in Malden is 323. life of a philosopher. Cur-consciences

## REVIVAL CLOSES SUNDAY

A Convincing Temperance Lecture by Evangelist Barnes at the Opera House Last Sunday.

The Christian Church revival 5 will close next Sunday. In the morning the Evangelist will speak on "Mother, Home and

In the afternoon at the Opera House the subject will be "Hell" With the Lid Off," and at night "Bidding Good-tiye to God." It is hoped everybady will attend 3 these closing services.

The revival meetings under the the best of life burned out in alcoholic preaching of Evangelist Barnes at the fires. Christian church will close next Sunday night, as announced above. Dur- stinence for all. No compromise ing the more than three weeks that with the evil alliances for revenue, or these meetings have been in progress for any cause. Charity for the erring interest in them has not lagged. Al. must be shown, for the seller and the though the outward result in conver- buyer, and the Gospel of Christ is sions has not been large, only about the only power to heal, restore eight, yet it is generally felt that an and save. We are all partners in undercurrent of good has been started the business of making drunkards. ing, aged 70 years, 5 months and 29 that like a little leaven will spread. Let us wash our hands clear of all it A community is always better for such demoralization. We do not agree to wholesome teachings of Gospel truths. Wipe out the saloon. We can resolve the following business men signed the

ROM, RUIN AND THE REMEDY. Sunday afternoon Evangelist E. B.

need quickening on these matters.

There are so many phases of the liquor traffic that demand notice, but this one fact only will be mentioned, viz: That the moderate drinker is the worst enemy to the temperance cause. The man who is already down and in the gutter will soon pass beyoud human reckoning. He is a bundle of rags The saloon has done its perfect work on him, and you see ington met at the Court House last a finished product. But the man who Friday evening for the purpose of takes a glass now and then and keeps forming an organization for the adsteady is an invitation to the unwary to begin, and no penalty will be at our town, the encouragement of bad tached. Let the practice continue and ness enterprises, manufacturing, etc. the day soon comes when the victim The name "Business Men's Cint" must give up the drink or his busi, was decided upon for the organizaness, and the probabilities are that he fion, and the following named gentlewill give up the latter. The young men were elected officers: stumble over the moderate drinker into the pit, and alas! often, when any of the number are reclaimed, they are but a remnant of their original self. The powers have been dissipated and

What is the remedy? Total abthat if it continues to exist it does so roll as members in spite of our protest.

FOR SALE-Farm, between Farm, George Herzag ington and Flat Rive, on electric car J B. Smith The liquor traffic is a breader of line; 100 acres good, smooth land in E. J. McKinney trip, visiting Cincinnati, Boston and them eight children, five of whom are crime. It is responsible for nearly all cultivation; half bottom: 15 acres 6. W. Grover hving to mourn the loss of a loving the misdemeanors of the country. It pastures: 15 acres timber; good O. W. Bleeck All the up-to-date Valentines and and devoted mother. They are John is a business concerning which not a buildings. See this farm it you want W. R. Taylor

## terian Church, lived a consistent Chris- THE THINGS WE ARE ABLE TO DO FOR YOU.

Your Property

one Fire Instrumee Policy is not fust as good as another in all cases. One may be drawn carelessly and another care fully. Does yours cover just as you would have it cover after a fire?

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Thursday afternoon at 2 o clock, Highley 's mile; northweast to Jen- family, and sends thousands to pre- Called by the Philadelphia Times Feb. 1, for the purpose of electing officers. Every member is carnestly requested to be present.

Highley 2 min; northweat to see many, and sends from stands for mature graves. The saloon stands for mature graves. The saloon stands for cantwell town, 1% miles; north to all that is bad in our civic and national life. The proprietors may be good for the world's leading monologue entertainer," will delight the people of Farmington at the Opera House on which ordinary mortals possess.

down with her 360 men this country holding season tickets, 50 cents stood appalled, and finally went to LAAKMAN'S DRUG STORE, war with Spain, that disaster being one of the contributing causes. But estate office in with Mr. Merrill Pipkin we know that the saloon directly and over the St. François County Bank. indirectly slays outright thousands every year, and to those who protest against the iniquity we say, "Be calm, don't get excited; we need the saloon; it promotes business and booms the town; the license money reduces our taxes; it is the one institution that saves the nation from becoming bank. The coming year will findthis rupt." Ah, me! and the nation like noblest and the best; you may debase break up homes and desolate bearts and dig graves, and while the State stock is constantly has a penalty for the man who shoots a bird or dynamites a fish in the river, traffic that causes more misery "than war, famine or pestilence combined." but from the traffic's point of view, the

## Ralph Bingham,

west over irregular road to Cook cor- fellows, large hearted, &c , but those Monday night, bell 5th, with a rare Farmington at the Opera House on of Tire Times, whose name has south bearing east to Simms 4 in the evil their traffic does. It is like song and oratory. He made his miles; east to Farmington P. O. is done. The evil is too great to be of age, and became known as "The offset by any of the common virtues Boy Orator," and now at the age of 32 years he is said to be the most yer-One of the bad things about t.e satile "single hand" entertainer in the week, aged sixty-six year. The Doc. 100: population served 400; salary traffic is that the public conscience be- world. He sings songs, performs on comes deadened in every place where the piano and violin with skill, tells the saloun gains a footing. At first humorous stories, imitates public A NEW and very large line men are shocked at its crimes, then speakers, and keeps the audience enthey become wholly indifferent to tertained from start to finish. He them. All evil from that quarter is makes his appearance here under the suspices of the High School Entertain-When the battleship Maine went ment Course Admission to those not

> Norma-I have moved my real Marcets A Young

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## BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB.

Large Attendance and Organization Effected by Farmington Business

Persuant to notice given a large number of the business men of Farinvaucement of the material interests of

J. B. Burks, President. A. T. Nixon, Vice President. Ed. Holler, Secretary. W. R. Lang, Vice Secretary. Sam F. Isenman, Treasurer.

It was moved and carried that the club elect five members to act as an Advisory Board with the officers, and the following gentlemen were elected

George Morris M. W. Huff G. W. Grover J. F. Karsch A. J. Zwart

of the club.

A membership fee of \$10 a year, payable quarterly, was agreed to, and

H. Trauernicht J. A. Doughty J. R. Spradling C. B. Denman E. L. Harton M. W. Hoff Would dis A. L. Davis F. W. Schram A T. Nixon W. H. Lang K. C. Weber

Ed. Henderson

G. W. Morres

Barney Pelly

M. Pipkin

S. E. Isenman J. T. Burks O. J. Mayberry (i. Sessinghaus J A Lawrence J. F. Karsch W. C. Fischer

nest practical talks on the necessity of get your choice. putting forth efforts to secure the building of the Houck railroad now in course of construction along the Saline dour at Klein,

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valley in Ste. Genevieve county to Farmington, which met with general approval.

The Club meets again to-night The advisory board was instructed (Friday), and all business and proto draft by-laws for the government fessional men are invited to be present and to become members.

Kahn, the best photographer that Farmington has ever khd, gave out to his patrons recently a little calendar that will be appreciated more probably than anything they have ever received of that character, for on each was an excellent photograph of the household pet, from the large array of baby photographs he has taken. The editor of THE TIMES was the recipient of one of these gems with a life-like picture of his little grandson, Theodore Simmons, prering from the eard,

## Twenty-Four Town Lots For Sale.

Haw's Third Addition is now opened up and into off in town lots, with streets, arieys, etc. Lots Tox172 teet, ranging in price from \$175,00 up to Messrs, Huff and Burks made ear- \$325,00. See these lots at once and

Markets A. You's

Maple syrup and pure buckwheat

NLESS you try them yourselves, you can have no idea of the excellence of our food products in the line of canned ments, fish and game. Last week we told you about vegetables. Hundreds of cans have gone out from our store since then, each one making a pleased customer for us. Now take our word for it, these Meats are equally as good. Everything named in the brief list below is strictly first class in every respect, is dainty, clean, fresh and perfect. We GUARANTEE every can. Most of them are good by themselves. But the cook book we give you free tells how to make many dainties out of canned goods. The most con-

> vincing evidence we can offer is to get you to TRY ONE CAN of anything in this list.

to try our Delicious Ham Loaf-15 and 25c Chicken Loaf-15c Potted Ham-5 and 10c Canned Meats Fish and Game That's Going "

Cook Book Free.

To test the Farm-

advertising medium we will give a splen-did cook book free to all who present this coupon at our store. Clip the cou-pon and bring it in at once. The cook book is written by famous cookery ex perts, and contains several dozen tried and true recipes, any of which you ean easily prepare. Remember, the book costs you nothing but the trouble of clipping this cou-pon. Send it by mail if you can't come to the store.

Sliced Bacon-20 and 25c Vienna Sausage-10c Mexican Chili Con Carne-10c Sardines 5, 10, 15, 20, 25c Veal Loaf-15c Lunch Tongue-25c Dried Beef-15c Chicken Tamale - 20c Salmon-10, 15, and 20c Lobster-30c Shrimps-15c Corned Beef-15c Cove Oysters -10 and 20c

Canned Soups An exceedingly popular delicacy is our condensed soups in cans. The addition of hot water makes the most delicious soup you ever tasted. We have several varieties, among the most popular of which are: Tomato-Vegetable-Bouillion -Ox Tail-Vermicelli-Tomato-Tomato-Okra-Chicken-Consomme,

15c-20c-25c the can.

Farmington, - - Mo.